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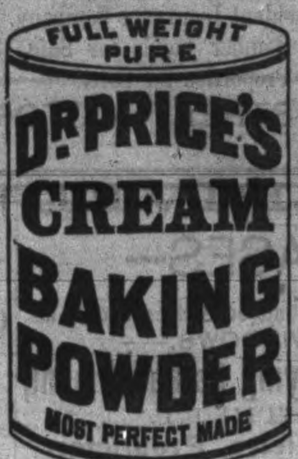

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NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER INTENDING TO LEAVE for the east in the interest of the Histogenetic Medicine Co., will close his office here on the 30th inst. All parties indebted for medicines will please have their accounts paid on or before that date, otherwise they will be sued for collection. S. DES BRISAY. Victoria, 12th June, 1889. P. S.—Histogenetic medicines can always be had at Langley & Co's je14-2w

In the matter of the Foster Gold Mining and Milling Company, Limited, and the Winding-up Act:

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OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Body Found After Forty Years—The Megantic Outlaw.

Forty years ago Thomas Gorman, manager of the Sparks estate, suddenly disappeared from Ottawa. At the time he had a very large amount of money, some thousand dollars, on his person belonging to his employers, and the supposition has always been that he cleared out to the United States with his boodle. John O'Hara, a farmer residing a few miles from this city, while ploughing in his field last week struck a large flat stone, under which, on turning it over, he discovered the remains of the long lost Gorman. At the time of Gorman's disappearance a man named Collins owned the farm upon which Gorman's remains were found, but shortly after sold out and moved to the United States. In the United States Collins was sent to States Prison for committing a murderous assault upon his wife, and while under confinement died, first confessing to have committed a murder in Canada, without mentioning the name of his victim. The flat stone was the hearthstone of the house Collins lived in, but which has long since been pulled down. It is believed that there were other parties to the murder, and that one of them is still residing near the city in comfortable circumstances, the result of his share of the money taken from Gorman. The police are investigating this strange revelation of a murder committed forty years ago.

RARE COINS.

Laborers while working at the widening of St. John street, Quebec, found a lot of copper coins bearing the date of 1600 and bearing the likeness of Henry IV., King of France. A cannon ball and an old style bayonet also were found. They will be kept as relics of the mighty conflict for supremacy between the French and English at the birth of the country.

FUND TO DEFEND MORRISON.

At a meeting of the Caledonia society, Montreal, a letter was read from the secretary of the Scottish society at Stornaway, asking the Caledonia society to take some steps towards assisting in providing funds to defend Donald Morrison, the Megantic outlaw. It was decided not to take any action as a society, but that individual members should be at liberty to act as their inclinations prompted them.

JUDGE STRONG APPOINTED.

The benchers of the Law Society, at their meeting in Toronto, appointed Hon. T. H. Strong, of the Supreme Court, as principal of the law school just established. There were three or four applicants for the position, and none of them were what could be termed eminent lawyers. It is understood that he will be induced to accept the position at a salary of $4,000, but that it will very much depend upon whether he retires from the Supreme Court bench with a retiring allowance.

BISHOPS IN SECRET SESSION.

Archbishop O'Brien, Bishop Sweeney, of St. John, Bishop Rogers, of Chatham, and Bishop Cameron, of Antigonish, have met in Charlottetown. It is thought that the object of their conclave was to choose a co-adjutor after Bishop McIntyre. It is not known who were nominated.

C. P. R. LANDS.

Dominion Mines Superintendent Pearce will make the report of those lands in the Northwest Territories which the C. P. R. claim not to be fairly fit for settlement as soon as Mr. Hamilton, the company's land commissioner, has completed his work at the department.

SYNOD OF ONTARIO.

At the session of the Synod of Ontario a resolution setting forth the encroachment of the Church of Rome in Canada, of the influence it had obtained over the Quebec and Dominion Parliaments and asking the Provincial Synod to devise some means for remedying the evils, was carried unanimously.

THE VICTORIA PULPIT.

Rev. Mr. Rugg Discourses on the Education of the Young.

PANDORA STREET METHODIST.

In the Pandora street Methodist church last evening Rev. J. E. Starr preached the second of his series of sermons on the besetting sins of the city to a large congregation, seats having to be placed in front and at the rear to accommodate those who assembled. And they were not disappointed.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Rugg, Baptist Church, delivered the second of a course of sermons on everyday religion, taking for his text Mark 4, 24, and 1 Cor., 15, 23: "Take heed what ye hear and with what measure ye mete it shall be measured to you, and unto you that hear shall more be given. Be not deceived: evil communications corrupt good manners." Subject, "The food for the mind."

If proper food is withheld from the mind or body it will become dwarfed. Too many people devote all their attentions to the development of either one or the other exclusively. Parents should remember that it is the home influence which has the most lasting effect on one's character, so that if you train up a child with a proper regard for its mental and physical requirements you put him in a position to become of the greatest usefulness in the world. Also the influence exerted in the school is of great importance, and we should see to it that the teacher is a fit person to have the care and training of our children. If you want them to grow up noble men and women be careful of the associations they make. Goodness may be ridiculed by the manner and expression, although perhaps not by the words spoken. If you want children to grow up to deceive you and be a reproach to your old age, allow them to range the streets at night and you will reap as you have sown. In this age of bookmaking children will read and it is well they should, but parents ought to see to it that a right selection of books be made. No need to buy the costliest volumes. The very best of literature is published in the cheapest form and can be had at small outlay. Feed the mind entirely with novels and it will be impossible to develop a strong mental life; the danger with such as that in the very best of them is given a false impression of life and the sympathies are wasted on these improbable characters and none left for the realities of life. In conclusion the preacher exhorted the boys and girls, as they value their usefulness by and bye, to "take heed what they hear." If a companion wants to tell you something filthy do not let them do it, do not allow them to make a sewer out of your ears. "For as a man thinketh in his heart so is he." And remember that upon the foundation of the character we are building here shall be the life we live through all eternity.

Fire at Wilson Brown's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brown on returning on Saturday afternoon about six o'clock to their home at Alderley, from a visit to town, found that a serious fire had occurred in their farm yard. The fire started about three o'clock and completely destroyed three barns, cabins, wagons and farming implements, together with about fifty tons of hay. The cause of the fire is unknown. There was no insurance. We feel that we but express the feelings of the community when we extend to them our deep sympathy in their great financial loss. There are a number of tramps in the country and it is the duty of the provincial police to run them down at once.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

Prisoners at Kingston Penitentiary Plot to Escape—Six People Drowned

The C. P. R. Telegraph Headquarters to be Removed to Vancouver.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Kingston, June 24.—"A" Battery are now at the penitentiary, where they were called on Saturday morning. It has transpired that the reason for their presence is that a plot on the part of the prisoners to escape has been revealed to the warden by one of the conspirators. All the desperate characters in the institution are implicated.

CLAXTON & CO. FAIL.

Montreal, June 24.—F. J. Claxton & Co., merchants, have assigned; liabilities, two hundred thousand.

SIX PEOPLE DROWNED.

Three Rivers, Que., June 24.—A bateau carrying passengers and freight on Saint Maurice river yesterday became unmanageable near Grande Piles, owing to the swiftness of the current, and was carried over the falls near that place. The following were drowned: Joseph Rivend and two children, Geo. Hamilton, of Wetienne, E. Pelleriveaud and Miss Pelleriveaud.

LACROSSE.

Winnipeg, June, 24.—The lacrosse games on Friday and Saturday resulted: Winnipeg 1, Brandon 3, Winnipeg 3, Plum Creek 2.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Reported Change of Telegraph Company's Offices—Sporting Notes.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, June 24—It is announced that the general office of the Canadian Pacific Postal Telegraph Co., will be shortly removed from New Westminster to Vancouver.

The S. S. Idaho arrived in port yesterday afternoon and after discharging cargo she left on her return trip to ports on Puget Sound.

The cricket and shooting matches on Saturday were both won by Vancouver; the former by 46 points, the latter by a score of 56 runs in the first innings at 6.30 p. m. Westminster had 18 runs to make with three wickets to fall, when time was called.

ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.

Terrible Suicide of a Broughton Street Girl—The Inquest.

At 4:30 o'clock on Sunday morning a young woman, named Edna Farringworth, committed suicide by shooting herself in the head. She was an occupant of a house of ill fame, on the north side of Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, the house being rented by a sister of the deceased, a woman known amongst her associates under the name of Della Wentworth. The unfortunate girl was a native of California and was about 19 years of age. The circumstances which led to the rash act are as follows:

On Sunday morning the women were eating early breakfast. Seated at the table were the deceased, her sister, other two inmates and John Croft, a young man well known in the city. After the meal Croft said that he intended to hire a team to catch the steamer which was to convey a party to the American side to witness the prize fight between Cleary and Austin. "I will go with you as far as the steamer," said Della Wentworth. "All right," answered Croft. The whole party laughed at the remarks and Croft left the house to procure a carriage. The deceased retired to her bedroom, adjoining the dining room, and in a few minutes the sound of a pistol shot was heard. The women rushed into the bedroom where Edna was found lying on the floor with a bullet wound in her right temple. She stood at the window facing Broughton street and fired the shot as the hack drew up near the door. A messenger hastened to secure the services of a medical man and returned to the place with Dr. Milne in a few minutes. The woman was breathing her last when Dr. Milne arrived, and died in 15 minutes. Dr. J. D. Helmcken was also summoned. On the floor near Edna's feet they found a 32 calibre self-acting revolver, with one chamber empty, and a pool of blood. The body was placed on the bed and every means was tried to save her life; but the deadly bullet was imbedded in her brain and their efforts were useless.

The deceased was a resident of Victoria for three months. She was a tall, good looking blonde and it is believed being desperately in love she became jealous when her sister made the proposition to accompany Croft and in a fit of despondency ended her life. The body will be sent to San Francisco for interment.

THE INQUEST.

At 10:30 this morning Coroner Jackson held an inquest in the room of Supt. of Police Sheppard. The following jurymen were sworn: T. W. Fletcher (foreman), A. Henderson, W. H. Pennock, J. Sommers, C. W. Rodgers and J. J. Wilson. After swearing in the jury the coroner proceeded with them to the residence of Della Wentworth, on Broughton street. In a bedroom was found the body of the dead girl lying on a bed with her hands across her breast. In her hands were a few beautiful flowers and the form was covered with a white sheet, which was removed from the head, disclosing a bullet wound in the right temple. On the floor was a pool of blood. After viewing the wound the jury returned to the office of Supt. Sheppard.

Dr. G. L. Milne deposed—On Sunday morning at 4:30 o'clock was called to see a woman in No. 14 Broughton street; went there and saw the woman lying in one of the back rooms. She was lying on the floor, with her feet towards the window. On examination found that she had a bullet wound in the right temple about two inches behind the right eyebrow. There was considerable blood on the floor. She was still breathing and lived about 15 or 20 minutes after witness arrived. Found the pistol lying at her feet (pistol produced); noticed blood stains on the pistol; saw that one chamber was empty. The blood on the pistol indicates that the weapon was close to the head when it was fired. With assistance placed her on the bed, where she died a few minutes afterwards; telephoned for the police; Officer Thomas arrived and took charge of the pistol and body.

To the Coroner—Consider the wound sufficient to cause death; her name was given as Edna; she appeared to be a woman aged about 19 or 20 years.

Dr. J. D. Helmcken—On Sunday morning at 4:30 o'clock was called to No. 14 Broughton street, to see a girl who had shot herself in the head. On arriving there found her in bed, dead, with a bullet wound in her right temple about midway between the eye and the ear; the wound was a fatal one; attended the girl two or three times lately and consider her very excitable. She appeared to be a woman who would commit suicide on slight provocation; was always given to understand that her name was Edna.

John Croft deposed—Was in the house the morning this took place and was talking in the dining room with three girls. A hackman came for witness; left the house and went out through the back entrance. This was about 4 o'clock in the morning. On the sidewalk joined the back driver; heard what I supposed to be a shot; and said to the hackman: "Tom, did you hear that." He replied, "yes." Ran with the hackman to the front door and was met by one of the girls who said, "My God, Edna has shot herself." Ran into her room and found her lying on her back with her head lying towards the window; she was breathing; ran with the hackman for Dr. Milne. A few minutes after Dr. Milne arrived; helped the doctor to place the wounded girl on the bed; Dr. Helmcken arrived shortly after.

To the Jury—Before the shot was fired witness was the only man in the house; about 10 minutes before leaving conversed with the girl; she said nothing about shooting herself. She left the room before witness left the house. Cannot say why she shot herself; she did not wish witness to leave the house; sincerely hoped the girl did not think enough of witness to shoot herself; there was no trouble between witness and the girl.

To the Coroner—The house is on Broughton street and belongs to Della Wentworth.

Thomas Hatton, sworn—I am a hackdriver. Went to No. 14 Broughton street at 4 o'clock on Sunday morning; went to Edna's window and rapped. She came to the window; pulled the blinds aside and spoke to deceased; asked if Jack was in the house; she said no. Witness said he must be in the house; she said he was not; then saw Jack coming out the back way. Spoke to him and went out to meet him on the sidewalk. Heard the report of a pistol; Jack said, "Did you hear that?" Ran to the front door and was met by Della and Dot. One of them said: "My God, boys, Edna shot herself." Then ran for Dr. Milne and afterwards for Dr. Helmcken.

Della Wentworth said—We were all sitting in the dining room, three ladies; myself and Mr. Croft; Edna Farringworth went into her room; the rest went out to the back yard with Mr. Croft; said good morning to him and went back into the house. Miss Dot said to witness, "Some one has fired a shot"; she went into the hall and came running back and said, "My God, Edna shot herself". Witness knew no more until awakened by Dr. Helmcken.

To a juror—She was very excitable; there was no quarrel; took a pistol away from her on several occasions; cannot say whether the pistol produced is the one she carried. Edna was laughing when she left the room.

Effie Stone stated that the evidence of Della Wentworth was true; was not the first to enter the room after the shooting.

Dot Gilbert corroborated the evidence of the former witnesses. Heard the shot, and halloed out that a shot had been fired. Heard something fall; ran up the hall and saw Edna's door open. She was lying on the floor; went back and told them that Edna had shot herself. Went back to Edna and raised her head up; blood was rushing from her nose and mouth; kept wiping the blood away from mouth, thinking that she would speak. In the meantime Della came in and saw what had happened; she fell over Edna and fainted; told some one to get Dr. Helmcken.

To Mr. Pennock—A few days after the 22nd of last month saw the pistol in Edna's trunk; called her attention to the pistol. She asked witness not to tell Della. Deceased was very impulsive in her disposition; cannot say whether the window was open or closed; knew her by the name of Edna Farringworth.

Almond Thomas stated—On Sunday morning at 5:20 received a telephone message from Dr. Milne, calling for a police officer at Della Wentworth's house, No. 14 Broughton street; went to the house and met Della Wentworth at the door; saw Drs. Helmcken and Milne, three women and Mr. Croft; saw the body on the bed; saw the bullet wound and considerable blood on the hearth-rug. Dr. Helmcken handed witness the pistol produced, with one chamber discharged; remained there until 8 o'clock.

The jury returned a verdict that deceased came to her death by her own hand, by shooting herself with a pistol.

REVELSTOKE NEWS.

Evidences of Prosperity—New Enterprises Starting Up.

The steamer Marion was launched from the car here on Tuesday, and the work of getting her to the bank of the river is being hurried along.

Dominion Officer Pearce, of Calgary, has been here this week on behalf of the government, gathering data regarding the ownership of lots in the disputed townsite.

Operations in the brickyard are carried forward vigorously. A kiln containing about 60,000 bricks will be fired on Saturday or Monday.

The work of preparing the grounds for the Smelter is about completed, and soon the erection of the necessary buildings will be commenced.

The first issue of the Kootenay *Star* is expected to make its appearance on Saturday.

Mr. Valentine expects to have his shingle mill in operation in about ten days. It will have a capacity of 70,000 or 75,000 per day, which will be increased as the trade develops.

A firm of tanners from Knowlton, Quebec, are prospecting in this vicinity with the object of establishing a branch industry here. Samples of bark have been secured, which will be tested, and if satisfactory, operations will be commenced as soon as the necessary buildings can be erected. If operated it will employ a staff of 60 or 100 men.

Will of the Late James Ward.

On Sunday afternoon a thorough search was made of the premises occupied by the late James Ward to discover the will made some years ago. The search was fruitless. To-day Messrs. Ardean and Beswick went over the place again. It is the intention to tear the house down, as it is believed that the document is stowed away in some corner of the building.

Speedy Trial at Nanaimo.

A Chinaman named Woo Seen was tried at Nanaimo on Saturday, under the Speedy Trials Act, on a charge of assaulting and robbing a countryman. M. W. T. Drake, Q. C., defended the prisoner; D. M. Eberts prosecuted. His Lordship considered the offence proved and sentenced Woo Seen to imprisonment in the penitentiary for two years. J. E. Gardiner acted as interpreter.

The Grasshopper Plague.

A correspondent of the Kamloops *Sentinel* writes: "The crops in Nicola are kind of poor, owing to the great damage the grasshoppers have done. Acres and acres have been destroyed, the pests eating everything down to the roots. Farmers are wondering what is going to become of the Nicola folks, as they have lost all their crops and hay, and have nothing to feed their stock upon through the winter. Some are thinking they will have to send to Kamloops for seed grain. I might say crops never looked so well as they did this spring before the grasshoppers came, and now the fields, except in a few places, are as bare as though they had been plowed. It is reported that thousands of the hoppers are dying. It seems strange, and people cannot account for it; they look as though they had killed themselves by eating, as they still cling to the grass. Farmers hope they will all die off."

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

Fire Completes the Work of Destruction at Johnstown—Behring Sea News.

Riot Between Hungarians and Negroes—No Action Taken to Protect the Sealers.

By Postal Telegraph]

Ottawa, June 24.—It is stated in official circles here that no action will be taken at present by either the Dominion or British Governments in regard to protecting British sealing vessels in Behring sea. The question as to the right of the United States to exclusive jurisdiction will, for the present, be held in abeyance as on good authority it is learned that the British Government is seeking the co-operation of several other maritime powers of the world with a view to joining in the dispute of the United States' claim and to leave the question to arbitration. The British Government has requested the Dominion Government to take no action until a settlement has been arrived at in this way.

CASHIER SENTENCED.

New York, June 24.—Chas. DeBaum, the defaulting cashier of the National Bank, was to-day sentenced to five years and seven months in the penitentiary.

WRONG MAN.

Chicago, June 24.—Chief of Police Hubbard this morning received a despatch from Frankfort, Indiana, stating that the suspect held there is not Patrick Cooney, wanted here by the police.

UNFORTUNATE JOHNSTOWN.

Johnstown, June 24—At 1 o'clock this afternoon the upper end of the first ward caught fire from a large pile of debris that was burning. The flames enveloped twenty-eight or more houses and in a few minutes was beyond control. Four Philadelphia fire engines were put to work but could do nothing to stay the spread of the fire, which now threatens to sweep away the entire upper end of the town.

NEGROES V. HUNGARIANS.

Haverstraw, N. Y., June 24.—A gang of colored men and Hungarians engaged in a serious riot at Jones' Point yesterday afternoon, the result of which was the shooting of four Hungarians by colored men. The color line has been the occasion of bitter feeling, which found vent in two Hungarians attempting to drown a negro. The latter's friends saw the attempt and went to his rescue. The Hungarians gathered to do battle for their two friends. A colored man named Jas. Morton deliberately drew a revolver and fired seven shots, bringing down four Hungarians, one of whom was instantly killed; then firing became general and knives and pistols were freely used. Word was immediately sent to Haverstraw and twenty officers and Coroner McGowan visited the scene, when Clark Rider, Walter Dean, Frank Long and Walter Denis were arrested and held as witnesses, while Morton, the man who did the shooting, made his escape. This morning colored men started to work in a brick yard when the Hungarians turned out and with shouts of "four niggers for one white man," drove them from the place. Sheriff Shankey has been telegraphed for and still further trouble is anticipated.

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE AND THE ALDERMANIC BOARD.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I herewith enclose correspondence, the reading of which will explain itself. Yours, etc., F. JOSEPH SPENCER.

Victoria, June 20th, 1889

SIR,—I am directed by the Park Committee, to whom was referred your communication of the 10th inst., to say in reply that the committee do not think it advisable to allow addresses on any subject to be delivered in the park on Sundays.

The license to address people in public parks on Sunday has proved unsatisfactory in so many instances, as in Chicago, Toronto and other cities that the committee feel that rather than make Beacon Hill park a disputant's arena, or the rostrum for the airing of every doctrine and opinion, wise and otherwise, on Sundays, they would prefer not to grant permission to use the park even for so commendable an object as the one you have in view. I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

W. J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

To F. JOSEPH SPENCER Esq.

To the Mayor and Aldermanic Board:

GENTLEMEN,—Your communication of the 20th inst. to hand and I was sorry to note its contents. Since the question affects the entire Christian sentiment of the city (for I understand that Sabbath desecration will still be allowed) I have referred your communication to the Ministerial Association of the city. I am, gentlemen very truly yours,

F. JOSEPH SPENCER.

June 23rd, 1889.

To the Rev. J. E. Starr, Sec. Ministerial Association, Victoria:

DEAR SIR,—I herewith enclose a communication which has come to hand from the Aldermanic Board. The letter will explain itself. As the question in dispute affects the entire Christian sentiment of the city, I have thought it best to refer the whole question to your association in order that you may deal with it as you may think fit. May I be allowed to suggest that if your association should take action in the matter that you try and enlist the co-operation of the Catholic and Church clergy. In the event of your association not seeing its way clear to act, kindly let me know and I will do my best to roll away the reproach. Very faithfully yours,

F. JOSEPH SPENCER.

Scotty Cox Meets a Tartar.

On Saturday night a sparring match for points took place at Philharmonic Hall. Scotty Cox appeared on the platform, with an individual named Murphy, who recently arrived from the bogs of Tralee. About twenty spectators were present, and a lively set-to occurred. The descendant of the immortal Murphy was slightly under the influence of Paddy's eye-water, and the main points aimed at by the countryman of the great O'Sullivan's were the eyes and stomach of his opponent. Two good rounds were fought in a give and take manner. The pugilists were preparing for a regular "ould country" fight, when Supt. Sheppard appeared on the scene. The usual glove contest was then proceeded with and the fight was brought to a close without any more hard hitting. After paying hall rent the two pugilists "stood treat" for five on the profits.

For the Warm Weather.

A number of family, hotel, and counter Refrigerators just received at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *d

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

It is said that tenders sent in for the new central school at Vancouver were so high that it is doubtful if the contract will be awarded this year unless the design is modified. The figures submitted were several thousand dollars in excess of the estimated sum prepared by the Lands and Works Department.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Unique Game of Base Ball by the Colonist Boys—Other Notes.

The boys of the *Colonist*—those fellows to whom the "wretched reporter" and the editor are under obligations for "setting up" their ideas—have been playing base ball. What put it into their heads to try their hands at athletics is a question too obscure for us to answer. We only know that the "News Room" and the "Job Room" of the office aforesaid, each selected a nine, and that they adjourned to the Caledonian grounds and then undertook to imitate the Amities. It was our intention to have taken the names of the players and to have reported their respective skill at batting, catching, throwing and pitching, but we found things in such a delightful state of confusion and good nature that we thought if we must report them we would do so after the manner of their playing—without reference to technique. This is the first game we have seen for many a long day when the umpire had a sinecure. All he had to do was to sing out "one strike" or "one ball", as the case might be; the boys umpired themselves around the diamond. The umpire in fact, in this game, was a mere matter of form, like the prayers of the chaplain just preceding the opening of the daily sessions of our local Legislature. But let us enter into particulars. With respect to the pitching, it might have been worse. Mr. Cullin, in our opinion, will get there after a while. The batting, considering that both pitchers in their efforts to give the ball the curve made the batter's position somewhat precarious, was excellent, though we noted the fielders exhibited an unfortunate propensity for catching all the sky balls. Mr. McMillan, after the third attempt, managed to hold a sky ball, which produced a round of applause from the spectators, and subsequently an exquisite bouquet of thistles. The third baseman, whenever a ball came his way, boldly stood up to receive it, but somehow he could not hold it. Mr. Ellis distinguished himself at the bat, balls of high altitude seeming to be more particularly in his line. Considering the inexperience of the players, the game was well played, and the only suggestion we have to make is, if the boys play again, they put up a larger "back stop." The ordinary back stop, when the balls are so radically curved as they were in this game, is not up to the requirements, and the ball passes to one side, requiring an auxiliary in the shape of the small boy. In view of the fun which was developed in this game, it is to be regretted that the Government street contemporary and the Yates street contemporary cannot be pitted against each other. It would be good exercise for both, and the city would have something to laugh over for a week.

THE RING.

The ten round mill, which had been settled at the last moment to come off in a 24-foot ring on San Juan, on Sunday, between Tom Cleary and Clem Austin, ended in smoke, although the intentions of the principals were *bona fide*. Cleary and Austin, accompanied by their backers, friends and a few spectators, the whole party numbering less than twenty, repaired between the hours of three and five in the morning to Cadboro Bay, expecting to board a tug for the battle ground. The tug Lottie, which had been engaged, went to the corporation garbage wharf at Ross Bay by mistake and lay there awaiting the arrival of the sporting party, which was anxiously in waiting for the tug at Cadboro Bay. The tug remained at the wharf for many hours and the sports waited for many hours. At last the party returned to the city, reaching town about 9 a. m. It is said an effort was made to get the men to mill at Cadboro Bay, but one of the principals demanded $250 for so doing and transgressing the Queen's laws. It is now proposed that the two combatants don the gloves in Philharmonic Hall on Wednesday night and battle for points.

CRICKET.

The Tacoma *Ledger* states that an international game of cricket, Tacoma vs. Victoria, has been arranged for August 24th.

SPORTS IN GENERAL.

A Goold bicycle from Brantford arrived last evening for C. W. Minor.

The Victoria Athletic Club's picnic at Langford Plains yesterday was voted a grand success by the 100 young men present. Another picnic is spoken of for August.

AQUATIC.

Turf, Field and Farm always did have a kindly feeling for Ned Hanlan, and here is what that paper has to say of his home coming: There was a time when Hanlan stood out as the exceptional man of his day. He was for many years the champion oarsman of the world. He was beaten because he tried to ride the top wave too long. He should have stopped rowing before his physical powers began to wane. But as he did not do so, we should remember him for what he has been, rather than for what he is now. He made a good appearance in a boat, was straightforward, and he gave a tremendous boom to sculling. We are sorry that he lost the championship, but we welcome him home, and hope that his years will be many and full of prosperity. His good wife and rugged children will be glad to see him at Toronto.

CITY DRAINAGE.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

SIR—The prolonged deliberations of the City Fathers concerning drainage systems is causing anxiety in the minds of those who are hourly exposed to risk owing to the present state of affairs. Meantime how many of us are doing all that ought to be done in our homes? Does the Sanitary Inspector inspect these homes or does he regard them as castles not subject to his visits? That Chinamen do not enjoy a monopoly of filth diseases, such as typhoid fever, diphtheria and the like we, alas, know too well. It would be well if *every* dwelling house were viewed and the necessary alteration enforced. Let me illustrate by my own case.—This spring on taking a house warranted perfect as to drainage, my attention was drawn to the sickening smell emitted from the neighborhood of the sink whenever water and especially hot water, was poured down. On bringing a light to the waste pipe (plumbers ugly but necessary contrivances are usually hidden as much as possible) I found a box drain was led directly under the house from the street with no intervening trap. Loosely fitting into a large hole in the box was a tin pipe conducting sewer gas right into the house. Finally a small tube, again untrapped and fitting loosely, hung over this from the sink. The remedy (certainly only a partial one) I adopted, was to move the box drain from under the house to the side of it, and to substitute a trapped continuous pipe for the original open jointed one. Thanks to this and in part, perhaps, to the almost continuous winds this spring, no bad smells have been noticed since the alteration. The plumber told me that to his knowledge a large number of houses had no better provision than mine originally had. Decaying refuse ought to be compulsorily removed. The dryness of the atmosphere at present, alone, in my opinion, protects our health. Absence of care on ours, we part, allow, we repeat, is the cause of a vast deal of ill health; so let every householder rush in ... [illegible] ... come nigh him nor a fertile soil ... wherein they may bring forth abundantly. Your obedient servant, SALUS.

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THE "SEA OF MOUNTAINS" AND MR. HIGGINS.

The Toronto Globe corrects the Rev. P. McF. McLeod, who incidentally told the Presbyterian General Assembly that the "Hon. Edward Blake had called British Columbia a Sea of Mountains, and the people there were so incensed that Mr. Blake would get very few votes." It was Principal Grant, the Globe remarks, and not Mr. Blake, who described our province as a Sea of Mountains. The expression is to be found in Dr. Grant's admirable book "From Ocean to Ocean," which describes Mr. Sandford Fleming's expedition across Canada in 1872. Our Toronto contemporary may be quite correct in stating that Mr. Blake only quoted Dr. Grant, but we are inclined to think it is not quite accurate in ascribing the origin of the phrase to the learned principal of Queen's College. Dr. Grant undoubtedly quoted the Victoria Colonist, which long before Mr. Sandford Fleming's overland journey, described that portion of the province through which it was proposed to bring the railway, and which route was subsequently adopted, as a Sea of Mountains. Mr. Higgins, then editor of the Colonist, opposed the Fraser river route with his customary vigor and we believe coined the description which, afterwards used by Mr. Blake, was considered as objectionable and unpatriotic. Mr. Higgins seems to have the same opinion still, for is he not opposing the exchange of the "inhospitable Sea of Mountains" known as the railway belt, for an equivalent area of Peace river lands? But, after all, it is not a matter of much moment who first used the words. At this late day and with the information now possessed of the general topography of our province, it would be a difficult thing to excite animosity against either the politician or the ex-editor, who for reasons somewhat similar, but from different standpoints, and like Dr. Grant, told "a round unvarnished tale." But if there is any credit attaching to the paternity of the words we claim for our province her rights. Mr. Blake has endured the odium as long as the expression was considered odious—a sort of vicarious sacrifice for another man's offence. But now that the scene has changed we are rather proud of our mountains and the illimitable wealth they contain, and as we will not be robbed of any of them we protest against Mr. McLeod depriving us of the credit of having contributed to eastern political platforms a party cry that was more euphonious than "Neebing hotel," and quite as effective in convincing voters as was Cartwright's "fly on the wheel," or Tom White's invention about "steel rails."

DOMINION VOTERS' LIST.

We have received the following communication from a gentleman who has been a voter in Victoria for over twenty years:

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—As a number of your friends, myself among others, wish to have our names placed on the Dominion voters' list, will you kindly inform us where and when it can be done, and oblige

INTENDING VOTER.

The above enquiry is decidedly apropos. There has been no revision of the list for several years, and as the people never have become familiarized with the operation of the law or the steps to be taken to become enrolled as voters, there is very general dissatisfaction on the part of those who were omitted from the first list prepared by the revising barrister. Apart from the difficulties attending registration, and the mystery that prevails about the whole business, there are two very unsatisfactory phases of the Dominion Franchise Act. First, it is needlessly expensive, having cost the country many hundred thousand dollars without the slightest benefit to any one save the revising barristers and printers. No good reason has ever been advanced for the substitution of a law containing a financial qualification in place of a provincial franchise act, which simply imposes the conditions of citizenship and residence to qualify as voters. Secondly, the Dominion Government, in carrying out "the penny wise" policy for which it is celebrated in certain cases, repealed the clause of the act providing for advertising in the public newspapers the time and place where the list shall be open to give non voters an opportunity of becoming enfranchised. It will be conceded that a small card put on a door or window of the revising officer's office is not a sufficient notice to men whose time is devoted to their daily avocations either as laborers, mechanics or business men. If it is necessary to have a voter's list for Dominion purposes—which we do not admit—the public are entitled to receive proper notice as to when, where and by whom it shall be prepared.

The principle upon which the work of revision is paid for by the Government is also radically wrong, as in the hands of unscrupulous officials—and there are plenty such in the party-ridden provinces of the east—it puts a premium upon dishonesty. Happily in Victoria we have a gentleman as revising barrister in whom we can trust. The work of revision is paid for by a fixed sum of $300 and nine cents per name when finally revised and corrected up to 4000 names, and over that number six cents per name, etc. It will be seen that the more names the reviser has on the list when his work is completed, the more pay he will receive. All names of voters who have removed from the country or who have died ought to be expunged from the list, so that the temptation to fraud and personation in voting may be removed.

In Victoria there are hundreds of new names to be put on, but under this hole-in-the-corner system of the government, it is not likely that one-half of those entitled to votes would be apprised of the fact that they can now register, if the newspaper—the "wretched" newspaper—did not gratuitously give them the information that the government refuses to pay for. We advise every elector to look after himself and see that his name is duly and properly entered. The qualifications under the Act are as follows:

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A person possessed of any of these qualifications who is a British subject and twenty one years of age is entitled to be enrolled as an elector and to vote.

Edwin Johnson, Esq., Q. C., is revising officer for Victoria district. His office is at 57 Government street, where all necessary information can be obtained. The work of revision is now, we believe, in progress, and will continue for a month or more. We strongly advise all our friends to see to it that their names are duly entered upon the list, so that when the time comes they may be in a position to use the highest privilege of citizenship in the manner which to them may seem best.

DR. McGLYNN ON POVERTY.

The Rev. Dr. McGlynn, if he is correctly reported, holds that the difference between himself and the church is, that the latter nourishes poverty, while he looks upon it as his duty to abolish it. Poverty, argues the reverend gentleman, "is degrading. Carlyle had called it an Englishman's hell. The church had exalted poverty, and would like to make us believe it a school for the development of the heroic virtues." The remedy for poverty in his, Dr. McGlynn's, opinion, "lies in the land for the people."

While not prepared to endorse all the views of the single tax advocates, nothing is more certain than that land monopoly should be discouraged. It is the rock on which republican institutions must split sooner or later. If the people could be kept in ignorance of their true rights, the absorption of the land by the few might continue as in the past. The people, however, cannot be kept in ignorance. They have tasted of the fruit of knowledge and they will never submit to conditions which ostensibly fair to all are really favorable only to the few. We cannot understand, though, that the remedy is in single tax. Energy will continue the same under single tax as now; the least energetic proving failures then as now. The fact that the Government owns the land will not stimulate the lazy nor sharpen the wits of the incompetent. We have no evidence that it will make a man more virtuous or less dissolute. Most of the conditions which produce poverty now will still exist, with the disadvantage that the really energetic will be circumscribed. The secret of minimizing poverty lies in industry and economy and the proper direction of energy. Without the proper application of these three qualifications, no man can succeed, it matters not how fair a start he may have in life.

Let idle land be taxed so that owners must either improve or sell it, and further let there be laws made prohibiting combinations if capital by which values are artificially raised or lowered. If the people are not equal to this species of legislation; if they will permit abuses to exist, which are in their power to remedy, shall we not infer that abuses would be rife were the government to own the land.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

As time advances, the disgust of the business community over Postmaster-General Haggart's increase of postage on drop letters continues. The measure seems to be in every way objectionable and indefensible. The only excuse offered for it, says the Winnipeg Sun, is the cost of the letter-carrier system in the cities to which the increase applies. But it must be taken into consideration that these same cities are the largest contributors to the revenue of the post office department, and are entitled to special consideration; also, that the letter-carriers are not made necessary by the "drop" letters, but by the mail matter posted at other points and intended for city delivery. The "drop" letters, in all probability, do not necessitate the employment of one carrier that would not otherwise be employed, and it is difficult to explain the special taxation that it is now intended to place upon them.

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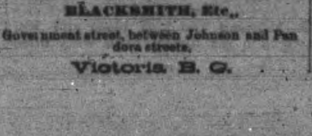

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BETWEEN

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

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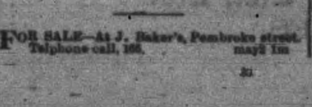

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J. ROLAND HETT,
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Victoria, February 22nd 1889.

NOTICE.

Estate of James McKinlay, deceased.

All debtors to the Estate are requested to pay their accounts, and all creditors of the estate to present their claims, forthwith, to Mr. Ogden A. McKinlay, one of the executors of the will of the deceased, or to

J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister-at-law.

Victoria, May 4th 1889. may4-tf

Estate of Amsted Buckner Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Anti-Jesuit Convention—Week of Church Meetings—The Assembly and B. C.

Missionary Work on the Pacific Slope—Changes to be Made in the Cabinet.

[From our own Correspondent.]

Ottawa, Ont., June 15—The great anti-Jesuit convention, which took place this week in Toronto, is now a thing of the past. There is no doubt but the meeting was one of the most important gatherings that ever took place in this country. What ultimately may be the result of the meeting no one can tell, but the unanimity and determination which characterized the proceedings testify beyond a doubt that for the present at all events those who took part in the convention were deeply in earnest. In my own opinion the agitation is either bound to be a great power in determining who shall or who shall not be elected at the next general elections, both for the Province and the Dominion, or it will fizzle out, as Hon. Frank Smith says, "like gas from a bottle of soda water." The great rock which may divide and break up the movement is politics. In the meantime the Conservatives, strange though it may seem, wish to lay the responsibility of the Jesuit Estates Act and Act of Incorporation, at the door of Oliver Mowat, while, naturally enough, the Liberals blame Sir John Macdonald for not disallowing the iniquitous measure. Time alone can tell how the matter will end.

MEETING OF CHURCHES.

It was a week of church meetings. The Anglicans, Methodists and Presbyterians had their synods, conferences and assemblies this week in Toronto. All unanimously passed a verdict condemnatory of the Jesuit Estates Act. In regard to the assembly of the Presbyterian church, some matters of interest to the people of British Columbia transpired. For instance on the question of missionary work. Rev. P. McF. McLeod, of British Columbia, said that if some of those engaged in the work in the North-West and British Columbia would address the Assembly it would give those present a better idea of the work than a printed report could possibly do. He felt that those who had come all the way from British Columbia specially to attend this Assembly should be given an opportunity of giving some explanation of the work in that part of the country. He would be pleased if Revs. T. G. Thompson and McCrae would give some account of the mission. The mission work in British Columbia was only in its infancy. When the Church took hold of th's great work the population of British Columbia was very small, but now that the Canadian Pacific railway had found its way to the Pacific coast and made Vancouver its terminus, it was absolutely necessary, since there were now people going there from all parts of the earth, that the Church should be liberal

TOWARDS BRITISH COLUMBIA,

not only with men but with means. The Home Mission Society had been very kind to them, although they had not as yet a representative on that committee, and it was perhaps just as well that they had no representative. Probably the Home Mission Committee had done better for them than it would have done if they had a man to look after their interests. They had received general sympathy for the advancement of the work in British Columbia, and the work was extending every year. They were all beginning to feel that they were making too heavy claims on the Home Mission Committee because of the smallness of the funds at the disposal of the committee. He was glad to hear of the proposal to extend the basis of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society. He thought that the time must come when they must necessarily extend their basis and take in all the missions and schemes of the Church into their consideration. They must follow up their young men who went to British Columbia and the North West Territories, so that they might be

TRUE TO THEMSELVES

and their religion. There was a great tendency when men got away from the restraining influences of the sanctuary and of Christian people to leave off reading the Bible and keeping in touch with the beliefs of their creed. They had a number of cases in the lumber camps in British Columbia, where upon a camp removing among the things left behind were found number of old Bibles, which showed that they had grown weak in the faith. He referred to one instance within his own knowledge, which showed the necessity of keeping track of those who left the crowded centre of civilization and went to the Northwest to open up the country. British Columbia was settling very rapidly, and there was great need for the Presbyterian Church to take hold of the work at once.

ONE YEAR'S EXPERIENCE.

Rev. Mr. McRae, of Victoria, B. C., followed. He said that he endorsed most heartily and cordially every statement that had been made by the previous speaker. Only one year in British Columbia, he was fully qualified to speak in reference to every interest in that part of the country. He would like to impress on the General Assembly that, while they had the warmest sympathy of all the world, the difficulties and privation of those engaged in the work could scarcely be overstated. The work was very difficult owing to the fact partly that the Presbyterian Church in Canada allowed these to lie fallow, and were not represented except by one man for 20 years and they had now to recover a great deal of lost ground. They had since the organization of a presbytery three years ago established five settled charges, all of which except one were self-sustaining, and paying large salaries, some of them the largest paid in the Church. There were mission stations scattered throughout the country, which were very difficult to work, but he spoke for his brother missionaries when he said that they had been encouraged, sustained, and stimulated by the grace of God and His assurance of continued blessings.

NORTHWEST.

Mr. John Charlton, M. P., spoke of the advisability of extending missionary work in the Northwest. Rev. Dr. Grant, of Queen's University, Kingston, was elected moderator by a large majority.

THE NEW MINISTER OF RAILWAYS.

I learn on pretty good authority that Hon. John Haggart will be promoted from the position of Postmaster-General to that of Railways and Canals, and Mr. J. C. Patterson, M. P., Essex, will be taken into the Cabinet as Postmaster-General. This will be another curb to the ambition of Mr. Chapleau, but, considering the numerous "back downs" the Secretary of State has made upon going out on strike in the past, there is nothing left for him now but to grin and bear. Once the Premier makes up his mind to destroy the influence of any of his refractory colleagues, he is bound to succeed some day. Look at the political wrecks he has left strewn by the way side, some of them men of great talents and ability. Take for example the Hon. Wm. MacDougall, than whom there are few men to be compared with in this country. Nevertheless Sir John Macdonald brought about his political ruin. Mr. Chapleau brought with him from Quebec to the assistance of the Premier an almost solid French vote. In defiance of the Riel agitation he saved numerous constituencies to the Government at the last general election, when Sir Hector Langevin could only get elected by the sole influence of the church, and the grossest kind of bribery. But the Secretary of State possesses an independent streak of mind, and Sir John has no use for such men. He cannot turn Mr. Chapleau out, but he can destroy his influence from within, and with the assistance of Sir Hector, he is succeeding to do so admirably. While these are the changes that are likely to take place soon, it is generally understood that, ere long, ministers to replace Sir Adolphe Caron, Hon. John Costigan, and Hon. John Carling, will be necessary.

FOR RIVER DU LOUP.

Sir John Macdonald has everything in readiness to leave for River Du Loup in a few days, where he will spend a couple of months.

SEAN TOWN.

CHICAGO AND SEATTLE.

Comparison of the Losses by the two Great Fires.

Bad as it is, a comparison of a few figures shows that the Seattle fire by no means rivals in relative loss the great Chicago fire of 1871. The total area burned over at that disaster embraced 2,124 acres. The burned district of Seattle is estimated at about 115 acres, or not quite one-eighteenth of that area. The loss of the Chicago fire footed up $195,000,000. That of Seattle will probably not exceed $15,000,000, or not quite one-thirteenth the larger sum. The population of Chicago, in 1871, was 334,270, or about 11 times that claimed for Seattle now, and its property values aggregated $620,000,000, against say $40,000,000 for Seattle. Thus it will be seen that Chicago, with eleven times the population and fifteen times the wealth, suffered about 19 times as much loss. She likewise experienced a depreciation of real estate values commensurate with the magnitude of a loss which was unparalleled at that time and therefore without a practical illustration of the recuperative power of American enterprise. Still another loss resulted from the failure of insurance companies incident to such an enormous destruction of insured property. Only about 40 per cent. of the $100,000,000 covered by insurance could be collected, and these considerations augmented the loss to a grand total of $290,000,000. About 50,000 people left Chicago after the fire. The 17,450 buildings destroyed were about 30 per cent. in number, but not less than 50 per cent. in value, of the whole city.

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What a Cannery man Must Know.

Some people think a man does not require to know much to hold even the most responsible position in a salmon packing establishment. Smart young men thinking this way had better not apply for a soft billet unless they can keep books, sell dry goods and groceries, run a typewriter, talk Chinook, act private secretary to the proprietor, and milk cows. This is the sort of a man a well-known canner wanted last week, and he got him. The prodigy comes from Nova Scotia.—*Columbian.*

Prohibition in Seattle.

Since the day of the fatal fire Seattle has been under enforced prohibition. The saloons have been under a temporary leave of absence. The people of Seattle appear now to be gravely considering whether the "dry season" has lasted long enough to give it a fair trial. It is proposed by some to try it for three months more and the temperance people are actively circulating a petition praying for some such restriction. It is admitted by everyone that the proclamation of the Mayor closing liquor places the day after the fire has borne good results.

The Old Rule.

At 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon Mayor Moran, of Seattle, notified Chief Butterfield to withdraw the guards from the burnt district. The change was made quietly. The places of the militiamen were immediately filled by policemen, who were equally as strict about admitting people to the burnt district as were their predecessors. As before, no one was admitted to the burnt district without the pass issued by Col. Haines or on a new one issued by the chief of police. The policemen experienced no difficulty whatever at any time during the day in preserving the best of order.

With a Big "If."

The San Francisco *Examiner* says: "The rumor from Ottawa that England and the United States have reached an understanding whereby there will be no seizure of poachers on the sealing grounds this season, is manifestly false. The seals have been placed under the Government's protection by acts of Congress and the President is charged with the execution of the law. The proclamation of the executive warning sealers out of the Behring Sea was an explicit declaration that the law would be enforced, and it is certain that any unauthorized vessel engaged in killing seals in Behring Sea will be seized and confiscated if the revenue cutters can catch her."

Honor to an American Artist.

Her Majesty Queen Victoria has commissioned an American painter, Mr. W. H. Bunce, formerly of Hartford, Connecticut, to paint a picture for her. This is the first time, it is said, that the Queen ever gave a commission to an American artist. Mr. Bunce had a friend at court, and was presented to Her Majesty at Biarritz. He improved the occasion, showed the Queen a portfolio of sketches, and insisted on her acceptance of one, and the "incident concluded," as they say in diplomacy, with a neat little Royal Commission, which is to take the form of a charming landscape in the neighborhood of Biarritz. Bravo Bunce.

A Pseudo Dilemma.

The management of the great Sells' Bros. circus have announced that they will not only give Seattle the $275 license, but will also pay the city $225 additional to do with what the authorities please. If the offer is declined the tents will be pitched outside the city limits Seattle had better take the $500, and if people think they are well enough off to pay the admission price that's their business. They are the best judges of what their pockets will stand. Besides people, if they really desire to view the circus, would just as soon go out of the city limits to see it as inside the limits. There are some things that cannot very well be solved.

The Anglican Synod.

The business of the recent session was brought to a close on Thursday last. Near the close the Rev. Mr. Clinton brought in a resolution to the following effect: That the Bishop be requested by this Synod to continue to reside at St. Mary's Mount, Sapperton, and that he make arrangements for filling up the vacancy at Holy Trinity, New Westminster, otherwise than by appointing himself rector. The position assumed by Mr. Clinton was this: He thought it would be a mistake for the Bishop to tie himself down to the Rectorship of Holy Trinity as the rest of the diocese would certainly suffer. He also contended that it was scarcely fair to the clergymen of the diocese who looked for promotion when vacancies occurred. His Lordship explained that it was for the good of Holy Trinity. He would always have one or two clergymen as assistants, and the Rectorship would not interfere with outside work. The resolution was withdrawn.—*Guardian.*

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Tract No. 1—Commencing about two miles east of Granite Point, Valdez Island, on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running south 160 chains; east 160 chains; south 160 chains; east 160 chains to a bay on unsurveyed channel; thence north 160 chains along the shore line; thence west along the shore line 260 chains to place of commencement.

Tract No. 2—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage; thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 100 chains south to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel running 60 chains north; west 60 chains; south 80 chains; east along shore 60 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains north; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; north-westerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 20 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING CO.

Victoria, June 14th, 1889. je21-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, Reid Island, Sayward District, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in Birdwood Bay thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

May 1, 1889. m20-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Valdez Island, Sayward District and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on Bold Point Bay thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

May 1, 1889. my20-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, Cortes Island, Sayward District and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a bay east of Camp Island, thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

May 1, 1889. my20-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land situated on Valdez Island, Sayward District and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake about 40 chains west of Village Bay; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to place of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

May 1st 1889. my20-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, situated in Coast District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a post on the east side of South Bentinck Arm at the mouth of Nowick River; thence east along the north bank of said river 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south along the shore line of South Bentinck Arm to the commencement.

ALFRED MAGNESEN.

Victoria, B. C. May 1st, 1889. may 2-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, situated in Coast District, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a post on the south shore of South Bentinck Arm about 5 chains east of the mouth of Asek River, thence east along the shore line of South Bentinck Arm 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to point of commencement.

ALFRED MAGNESEN.

Victoria, B. C. May 1st, 1889. may 2-2m

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Straits of Georgia, containing about 640 acres, more or less.

June 6th, 1889. ALBERT VIDLER. je6-2m

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated as follows:—Commencing at a stake placed at West Entrance Point, Hesquot Harbor, west coast Vancouver Island, thence running one mile in a northerly direction along beach to stake No. 2, thence westerly one mile to stake No. 3, thence southerly one mile to stake No. 4, thence easterly one mile to point of commencement. J. MAHER & CO.

Hesquot, March 7th, 1889. je17

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase Jenkins Island, which is situated south of Lasqueti Island, in the Strait of Georgia.

je8-2m MORRIS MOSS.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date we shall make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut timber upon that tract of land situated upon the south west end of Gambier Island, New Westminster District, being 480 acres, and described as follows:—

Commencing on the south boundary of Lot 477A, a distance of 20 chains from the south-eastern corner thereof, thence east 40 chains south 40 chains; east 20 chains; south 80 chains; west to shore line of Thornborough Channel; thence northerly, following shore line to a point due south of point of commencement; thence due north to point of commencement.

ROBERT LEATHERDALE,
JOSEPH H. GILL,
WM. McGIRR.

April 24th, 1889. ap2

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

All consumers of water of Victoria City Water Works are requested to take notice that water for irrigating purposes shall be used during the irrigating season in the different wards of the city between the hours of 6 p. m. and 10 p. m. only on the respective days mentioned, namely: In Johnson Street Ward on Mondays and Thursdays; in Yates Street Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays; in James Bay Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Any infractions of the above regulations will involve an immediate increase of the water rates of the parties concerned.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.

City Clerk's Office, June 11th, 1889. je11

A BY-LAW

To provide for the payment of Assistant Assessors.

WHEREAS ON THE 17TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1889, Wm. Dalby, Wm. W. Northcote and E. Dickinson were elected and appointed to assist the Assessor of the City of Victoria in his duties;

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows.

1. Each of them, the said Wm. Dalby, William W. Northcote and E. Dickinson, shall be paid for his services as such Assistant Assessor at the rate of $1 for every entire hour during which he was actually engaged in his duties as an Assistant Assessor as aforesaid.

2. This By-Law may be cited as "The Assistant Assessors' By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of May, A. D. 1889. Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 14th day of June, A. D. 1889.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. je15-tf

The Mayor's Remuneration By-Law

Whereas under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1889, it is enacted that the Council of every Municipality may from time to time make, alter or repeal By-Laws for (inter alia) paying the Mayor out of the annual revenue a sum of money not exceeding $2000;

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. There shall be paid to the Mayor for the time being of the said City of Victoria out of the annual revenue of the said City the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000.00).

2. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Mayor's Remuneration By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council, the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1889.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. je12

The Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS, BY A BY-LAW ENTITLED THE "Street Railway Bylaw, 1888," passed by the Corporation of the City of Victoria on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1888, a charter or franchise was granted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City of Victoria, to J. Douglas Warren, Andrew Gray, David W. Higgins, Joseph Hunter and Thomas Shotbolt, to lay tracks, erect poles and string wires thereon for motor, lighting, and other electrical purposes.

And whereas, the said J. Douglas Warren, Andrew Gray, D. W. Higgins, Joseph Hunter and Thomas Shotbolt have since assigned all their right, title and interest in and to the said charter or franchise, through the Honorable John Herbert Turner as Trustee, to a company incorporated and known as the National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability.

And whereas, the said National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability, is desirous of prosecuting to completion the work contemplated and provided for by the said charter or franchise, and have applied to the Corporation of the City of Victoria for aid, in order that the said works may be speedily constructed and put in operation.

And whereas, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said company for such aid by a guarantee of interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum for a period of twenty years on the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000), for a part of the undertaking contemplated by said company, namely, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a Street Tramway or Railway.

And whereas it will require the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of said interest, in the event of the said corporation being called upon to pay the same;

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1888, was $5,758,845.00, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the municipality and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest, or dividends from the work, or from any stock, shares or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised or any part thereof is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas for paying the said interest (in case as aforesaid) it will require an equal annual special rate of one twenty-eighth of one per cent. on the dollar;

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall guarantee interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the bonds of the said National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability, to the amount of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of said guarantee in manner following, namely:

2. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) of the capital stock of the said Company has been paid up by the subscribers thereto and bona fide expended in and towards the construction of a street railway in said city by said company according to their charter, the said corporation shall guarantee interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on a first issue of bonds of the said company to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), the interest so guaranteed to be paid half-yearly.

3. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the said corporation that a further sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) of the capital stock of the said company has been paid up by the shareholders thereof and a sum of at least forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) has been bona fide expended in and towards the construction of a street railway in said city by the said company, the said corporation shall further guarantee interest at the rate of five per centum per annum on a further issue of bonds to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of such guarantee, the interest so guaranteed to be payable half-yearly.

4. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the said corporation that a further sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of the capital stock of the said company has been paid up by the shareholders thereof and that a sum of at least seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) has been bona fide expended by the company in and towards the construction of a street railway aforesaid, the said corporation shall further guarantee interest at the rate of five per centum per annum on a further and final issue by the said company of bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of such guarantee, the interest so guaranteed to be payable half-yearly, the proceeds of this last issue of bonds to be expended as aforesaid.

5. The liability of the said corporation shall not extend beyond the guarantee of interest at the rate of five per centum per annum as aforesaid.

6. The guarantee is subject to the conditions that the said corporation shall have the right to appoint one or more auditors to examine the books of the said company, and shall have the further right to a representative on the board of directors of the said company during the whole period of the continuance of this guarantee, such representative to be nominated by the said corporation.

7. Any sum or sums of money so paid by the said corporation under its guarantee or guarantees as aforesaid shall be a first charge upon all the property and undertaking of the said company subject to the said bonds, and shall be a part of the consideration for this guarantee and shall be payable and paid to the said corporation by the said company before any dividend shall have been paid to the shareholders thereof.

8. The acceptance by said company of the benefit of this guarantee shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of said company to the foregoing clauses of this by-law.

9. The form of bonds to be issued by said company to be approved of by said corporation before any liability under this guarantee attaches.

10. This by-law and the liability of the said corporation is subject to the condition that the moneys expended by the company to obtain the benefit of this guarantee and the moneys obtained from the proceeds of the bonds in respect of which interest is guaranteed by said corporation shall be bona fide expended by said company in and towards the construction of a street railway and for no other purpose.

11. That for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of said interest an equal special rate of one twenty-eighth of one per cent. on the dollar shall be raised levied and collected in each year in case said corporation be called upon to pay same upon all rateable property in the said municipality during the continuance of this guarantee.

12. This by-law shall take effect on the 28th day of June, 1889.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1889.

Received the assent of the ratepayers the 11th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 12th day of June, A. D. 1889.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. je13

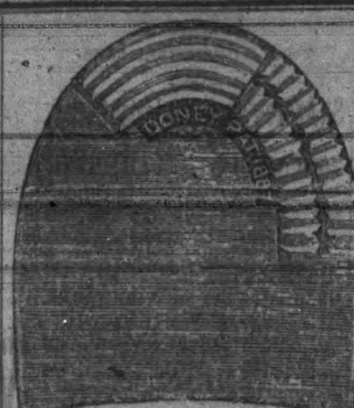
MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to section 5 of chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over Navigable Waters," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works of Canada a plan and a description of a wharf or dock, to be used for sanitary purposes, situate at Ross Bay, at the said city, in the said province, and a duplicate of each with the registrar of deeds for the said city of Victoria.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made, after the first day of August, 1889, to the Governor-in-Council for approval of said plan and work.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of June, 1889. je20



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City Clerk's Office, May 30th 1889. my31

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By order

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City Hall, June 5th, 1889. june 6

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LOAN BY-LAW.

WHEREAS, THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL of the corporation of the City of Victoria, has resolved to raise by way of a loan the sum of $45,000, to be expended in street and bridge improvements in said city and in enlarging the area of Ross Bay Cemetery.

And whereas it will require the sum of $3,169 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas, as the amount of the whole rateable property of the said corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1888, was $5,758,000 irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the municipality, and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from the work, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investments of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the said principal sum of $45,000, and interest as hereinafter mentioned it will require an equal annual special rate of one-eighteenth of one per cent. on the dollar.

And whereas, it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Therefore, be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. That it shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $45,000, and cause the same to be paid to the treasurer of the said corporation for the purposes and with the objects following, that is to say, to be expended in alterations, additions and improvements as follows:

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Pandora Street extension.
Third Street extension.
Fernwood Road.
Yates Street.
Broad Street.
Blanchard Street extension.
Wharf Street for sanitary purposes.
Ross Bay Cemetery.
Ontario Street.
Dallas Road.
Catherine Street and other streets.

2. That it shall be lawful for the said Mayor to issue any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required for not less than $1,000 each, and that the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation of the City of Victoria and be signed by the Mayor.

3. That the said debentures shall be made payable in 30 years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the treasurer of the corporation of the said city of Victoria and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

4. That the said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of five per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable yearly at the office of the treasurer of the said corporation.

5. That for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon, an equal special rate of one-eighteenth of one per cent. on the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property in the said municipality during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

6. That it shall be lawful for the said municipal council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said council to redeem and purchase same on paying the amount thereof and interest due thereon to the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof, and all debentures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled and destroyed, and no re-issue of debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

This by-law shall take effect upon the 28th day of June, A. D. 1889.

This by law may be cited as "The Forty-Five Thousand Dollar Loan By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1889.

Received the assent of the ratepayers the 11th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 14th day of June, A. D. 1889.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

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—The funeral of Mrs. Haughton occurred from the Work Estate this afternoon. Many friends were present.

—June issue, British Columbian Magazine, is at bookstores and Daily's Bazaar. Everyone should buy this handsome number. 1mo.

—Rev. J. W. Wadman preached at St. Andrew's church again yesterday morning and evening, as on the previous Sabbath.

—The Chinaman who committed suicide at the Victoria Gardens on Saturday was buried to-day. The cortege consisted of one Celestial.

—Visitors before leaving for home should have their photos taken at Hall & Lowe's, Government street, where they are sure to get the best.

—The midsummer examination of the Spring Ridge ward school will be held to-morrow afternoon. Parents and friends are respectfully invited to be present.

—A carload of Antique Oak Bedroom furniture, latest designs, handsomely carved, also Walnut Roll Curtain and other office desks, just received by John Weiler 51 to 55 Fort street.

—The midsummer examination of the pupils of St. Louis College will be held on Tuesday. On Thursday next the examination of the scholars attending St. Ann's Convent will be held in the large music room of the Convent.

—A pugilist named McGuickan received a summons on Saturday to appear in the police court this morning on a charge of vagrancy. He failed to answer the complaint. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

—Chinatown possesses a genuine photographer. Armed with a camera and with commendable expertness, several photos of leading Chinese buildings were taken yesterday, before a hundred or more Celestials with gaping mouths.

—Favored with beautiful weather yesterday, which was neither too warm nor too cool, but just right, a very large number of people visited Beacon Hill. The lovely scenery, beautiful park and well-rendered sacred music, were the sources of harmless enjoyment.

—Fanny Bowers, a halfbreed woman recently in prison pending an investigation on a charge of bigamy for which she was acquitted, succumbed to consumption in St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, and was buried this afternoon from Storey's undertaking rooms. The coffin was covered with flowers, the gift of the deceased's female friends.

—We have information from a reliable party to the effect that $7000 is an overvaluation of the estate of James Ward, recently deceased. Mr. Ward left no real property of any consequence. He was worth, perhaps, in cash, half the amount stated. He leaves a wife, residing at present in eastern Canada, with whom he separated some years ago.

—There is loud complaint about the conduct of the hackmen in blocking up the gateways to the wharf, on the arrival of the steamer. This is an old grievance. Formerly it was located on the wharf, close to the gangway, but the company some time ago excluded the crowd from its premises, and the runners now congregate on the street at the entrance to the wharf. There should be no difficulty in dealing with the nuisance now, as it is more directly under the cognizance of the police than formerly.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.]

Mary Paterson, a Hydah, charged with drunkenness. Fined $5.

W. McGuickin, a pugilist, failed to appear on a charge of vagrancy. A warrant for his arrest was issued.

Mary Ann Williams was charged by May Davenport with assault. Dismissed.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

H. Langelier, of Montreal, is registered at the Driard.

Ald. Harris returned from Vancouver last evening.

W. F. Bullen, of the Albion Iron Works returned last evening from a visit to Vancouver in connection with Vancouver's water works.

Capt. Murray Thain, port warden at Port Moody, is in the city.

Hon. J. H. Turner returned from the mainland last evening.

G. B. Wright has gone up to the interior.

Mr. T. H. Dempsey, manager of the Seattle *Times*, was in the city yesterday and left for home this morning.

Thos. Aylward, late clerk in the Driard, has resigned the position and is at present at Vancouver.

Miss Jessie H. Robson, of Napanee, Ont., graduated as B. A. at Toronto University on the 7th inst., completing a very brilliant course with a long list of high honors. She took first class honors in French, German, Italian, Spanish, ethnology, and stood second class in English, the only subject in which she took second place. Miss Robson is a niece of Hon. John Robson.

J. Hamilton, despatcher, and J. B. Johnson, station agent, Donald, are in the city attending the Grand Lodge, A.F. and A. M.

Mr. Harry Arkell, a leading produce merchant of Vancouver, arrived down last night.

We are pleased to state that little Louise Marbeuf was improving to-day.

Admiral Grant left for San Francisco on yesterday's steamer.

W. F. Doll, wholesale jeweler, of Winnipeg, is at the Driard.

D. J. Munn, manager of the Bon Accord and Sea Island canneries, came down last evening.

G. Leiser and John Fee were arrivals by the Islander last evening.

Mrs. W. Power arrived from Moodyville on Sunday evening on a visit to Mrs. L. Erb.

J. E. Gardner returned from Nanaimo on to-day's train.

C. N. Westwood, Nanaimo; J. J. Mcey, Ashcroft; Henry Brackman, Saanich, are at the Oriental.

Dr. Childs Pile Ointment.

Instantly relieves and permanently cures piles, pruritus and all hot and itching sores and eruptions. Price, $1, of druggists. daw

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—M J Haney, Geo Shields, A L McLean, A B Gray, H E Field, C Hach, J W Morrison, Mrs W Powers, F M Lennan, L Ackerman, J Anderson, G H Lee, W F Bullen, St Clair Blackett, R H Hornbrook, B Leisure, Theo Meadows, J V Ward, G S Maroney, J McElroy and wife, A C Martin, R Shiel, Mrs Wilson, J K Church, J H Freeman, J T Fee, G Leiser, H Arkell, A J Smith, D Weldon, S T Blair, J J McKay, Capt M Thain, P Wade, J H Turner, P Carey, W A Mortimer, Mrs Phillips, J H Redmond, Mrs Ackroy, Fanny Wait, Jessie Clarke, L Johnston, H H [illegible], Geo Van Dusen and wife, Mrs Pickett, H Langelier, D B Harris, A Aldershaw.

A Start Made.

A gang of workmen commenced excavating this morning at the foot of Johnson street for the Johnson street sewer. The trench will be dug in the middle of the street up as far as Blanchard street. It is supposed three months time will be required to build this sewer.

For the South.

The Mexico sailed for San Francisco yesterday with the following passengers from this port: A. Hubert, T. F. Miller, C. Titchworth, W. C. Halleck, A. Frank, R. Warner and wife, Vice-Admiral H. D. Grant, C. B., R. S. Ogilvie, Mrs. Capes and child, T. N. Briscoe and wife, and Mrs. Levinson.

This Evening.

The conversazione to be given by the Y. P. L. A. of the First Presbyterian Church to-night promises to be an interesting one. Among those taking part in the programme are Misses Humber, Berridge, Hyams, Mrs. McCandless, Mrs Turnbull, and Messrs DesBrisay, Brown and Robson. Raspberries will be the feature of the entertainment.

The Terrible Truth.

On account of the alarming prevalence of diphtheria in Nanaimo, during the past year, Mr. A. Haslam, the member-elect for the city, is circulating a petition urging on the Mayor the advisability of calling a public meeting to devise sanitary measures for the city. It is none too soon that Nanaimo is heeding the terrible truth.

Mutual Reserve.

LEET, STRONG & Co. have been appointed agents for the Mutual Reserve Association of New York for Victoria and the whole of Vancouver Island. No insurance company probably in the world has progressed more rapidly than this company, and we have no doubt that in the hands of Messrs. Leet, Strong & Co. its interests will be well conserved in this city.

Conversazione.

The Y. P. L. A. of the First Presbyterian church, will hold a conversazione in the school room of the church on Monday evening, June 24th. Refreshments of cake and raspberries will be served by the lady members. An excellent programme has been prepared to enliven the hour. Most of the performers will appear there for the first time. Admission 25c. 2t.

The Sound Route.

On or about the First of July the favorite side-wheel steamer Olympian will resume her trips between this city and the Sound. She has undergone extensive repairs during her brief retirement and is in better shape than ever. There is some talk of the Olympian performing the service between here and Seattle single handed, and the retirement of the North Pacific and Potter to other routes.

Coming North.

San Francisco, June 24.—The steamer Walla Walla sailed for Victoria and Puget Sound ports this morning with the following passengers for Victoria: J. Hall, M. H. Cowan, J. McLean and wife, A. R vers, E. J. Maybee, C. McKurty, Miss M. B. Estes, Miss E Robinson, Miss E. Clark, Mrs. S. W. Webster, Miss P. Macomber, C. E. Redfern and wife, Rev. J. Miller and wife, and Miss C. McLeod.

A Fine Sale.

Attention is directed to the great auction sale of blooded and graded stock, to come off at Ontario Farm, Langley Prairie, on 28th June. The Messrs Innes are well-known as good judges of horses and cattle, and the sale will give an opportunity of acquiring good stock. One hundred and sixty acres of the best prairie land in the province will be offered for sale at the same time and place. T. J. Trapp will conduct the sale.

Funeral.

The mortal remains of the late James Ward were interred on Sunday afternoon. The funeral took place from C. Hayward's undertaking rooms. At the Reformed Episcopal Church and at the cemetery Rev. Dr. Reid officiated. A number of friends of the deceased were present. The pall bearers were: S. S. Burt, Alex. Jack, J. Dewsnap, James Porter, John Temple and J. H. Meldram. Messrs. A. Beswick and W. Andean were chief mourners.

Still Holds the Fort.

The work of boring for coal on the Greer property was stopped, the *World* says, owing to a dispute between S. Greer and the C. P. R. Co. While the men were digging the hole, an agreement was submitted to Mr. Abbott, which he refused to recognize. Greer also refused to interview Mr. Abbott, and subsequently covered the men up in the hole. Work is abanded for the present. The expert left to take out legal proceedings. Greer positively refuses to budge.

A False Report.

Investigation in Chinatown reveals the fact that the Chinaman who committed suicide at the Victoria Gardens on Friday evening was not Mah Kee, who is supposed to have had something to do with the murder of the Chinese girl Yow Cum. The name of the dead Chinaman was Ah Git, and whose family name was "Chang," not "Mah," as in the case of the supposed accomplice in the murder. The story as reported in the *Colonist* was evidently concocted, at what was considered an opportune time by the friends of Mah Kee, the object being to throw further investigation and inquiry off the track. Mah Kee is no doubt alive and kicking.

Tour of Inspection.

At one minute to two Sunday afternoon the Crocker party of four, accompanied by Messrs. Jas and Alex. Dunsmuir, drove up to the E. & N. Railway depot and at precisely two o'clock the special train, composed of an engine and one passenger coach in charge of Conductor Coburn, steamed out of the depot. As the train slowly moved out, Col. Fred. Crocker, standing on the rear platform, critically cast his eye over the surroundings and admiringly glanced at a train load of black diamonds. At Nanaimo the steamer Princess Louise will be boarded and the trip continued to Comox where a general inspection of properties in which the magnates are interested will be made. The party will return to the city Tuesday evening.

The Usual Cause.

A variety actress named Gracie Robinson has been missing from the Theatre Comique, Tacoma, for about a week. It is known that Foster, the alleged defaulter arrested in this city, was fond of the girl, and they are said to have left together. Mr. Sawyer, a member of the firm, said that he would prosecute the defaulter on as light a charge as possible, and that he would dismiss the charge against him and let the matter drop if the money was returned. R. W. Derickson, the other member of the firm, is now on his way to San Francisco. Young Sawyer told the police here that his father would settle the affair, but whether or not we have yet to learn. It is known that the indulgent father has come to the giddy young man's rescue before now in financial matters of a peculiar hue.

Fire this Afternoon.

Shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon Mr. S. Clay noticed smoke arising from beneath the sidewalk in front of his hay and feed store on Johnson street. John Davis ran to the Yates street fire hall and turned in an alarm. In less than two minutes the steam engine was on the Douglas street tank and a line of hose was laid from a hydrant by No. 2 Company. A young man named Frank crawled under the sidewalk and made short work of the blaze; a stream of water was turned on the place by the hosemen of No. 3 Company and every vestige of the fire was drenched in a few minutes. The barn above contained a large quantity of hay, and a serious conflagration was averted by the promptness of Mr. Frenk and the fire department. The fire was caused by dropping a lighted cigarette or cigar between the boards in the sidewalk.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

The Proceedings the Public are Allowed to Know of.

Sessions of the Grand Lodge were held on Saturday afternoon and again on Saturday evening, at which reports of subordinate Lodges were received and preliminary business transacted. At 10 o'clock in the evening an adjournment was taken and the members repaired to the Delmonico, where a sumptuous banquet was provided. The company sat down to three rows of tables running the entire length of the room, which was suitably decorated with flowers, mottoes, etc., for the occasion. The tables were loaded with tempting viands, Mons. Escalet surpassing his reputation as an excellent caterer, and it is needless to say the banquetters done ample justice to the occasion. After the several courses had been passed the company spent several hours in pleasant social communion and enjoyment.

THE PROCEEDINGS ON SUNDAY.

The members assembled at the lodge at 10:30 yesterday morning, and at 11 o'clock marched across the street, clothed in regalia to St. John's church. The company, 120 in number, was preceded by the Marshall who led the way into the church, the rank opening order at the door and allowing the Grand Master and senior officers to pass in first. As they entered the church the choir sang the processional hymn beginning as follows:

When the Architect Almighty had created heaven and earth,
Temple of the glorious Godhead, Angels shouted at their birth;
Morning stars in holy concert sang a joyful jubilee,
And the whole creation chanted, "Allelaia, Lord to Thee!"

After the preliminary services had been gone through, led by Rev. P. Jenns, an eloquent sermon was delivered by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Sillitoe, of New Westminster.

The discourse was based on the text found in the eleventh chapter of Matthew and the eleventh verse as follows: "What go ye out to see, a reed shaken with the wind?" After showing the circumstances under which the rebuke was uttered and the sterling character of the man making it, the speaker proceeded to illustrate how, by adopting high ideals we may by the help of God and the power of the will, properly exercised, attain similar perfection. If we considered properly the courage, truth and blameless life of this "reed shaken by the wind" we would be stimulated to like endervors. Nothing was accomplished by the feeble and irresolute, the wavering and idle. Weak vacillating, nerveless reeds yielded to every temptation and were a prey to their own passions. None of the great triumphs of civilization in science and art were accomplished by such as these. It was by labor, diligence, patient self-control, by living with an object, and never acknowledging defeat, that men have raised themselves to the highest rank among their fellowmen. Mountains were not tunnelled, nor cables laid, nor inventions completed by the feeble and irresolute. Stephenson, Gordon, Edison, Pasteur and many others, have attained their success through opposite qualities to these. The speaker referred to the world as an arena in which to fight for all that is good, holy and noble, with a sure hope of victory, illustrating those whose object in life it is to make the world brighter and happier by the self-sacrificing work of Father Damien and others. The weak and vacillating, those who yielded to temptation and were conquered by their own passions, furnished warnings, numerous enough, of the frailty of human nature and of the depth to which it can fall, while the life of the Holy Baptist and all good Masons, since his time, were as buoys warning the world of the shoals and rocks and guiding all who follow to the blest haven. The choir then sang a hymn during the offertory, after which the benediction was pronounced.

The singing of the choir during the service was very good, especially the rendering of the *Te deum*.

THIS DAY'S WORK.

The sittings of the lodge were resumed this morning, when among other business the list of officers for next year was completed. The following are the grand officers, A. F. & A. M., for 1889-1890:

M. W. Bro. J. S. Clute, Grand Master; R. W. Bro. A. McKeown, Deputy Grand Master; R. W. Bro. N. Wolfe, Grand Senior Warden; R. W. Bro. W. Downie, Grand Junior Warden; V. W. Bro. Rt. Rev. Bishop Sillitoe, Grand Chaplain; V. W. Bro. H. F. Heisterman, Grand Treasurer; V. W. Bro. H. Brown, Grand Secretary; Bro. William Trickey, Grand Tyler; W. Bro. G. S. Russell, Grand Senior Deacon; W. Bro M. Miller, Grand Junior Deacon; W. Bro. A. E. Lees, Grand Superintendent of Works; W. J. Bro. Buie, Grand Director of Ceremonies; W. Bro. H. A. B. MacGowan, Grand Marshal; W. Bro. J. S. Hamilton, Grand Sword bearer; W. Bro. E. J. Peck, Grand Standard-bearer; W. Bro S. J. J. Tunstall, Grand Organist; W. Bro. William Manson, Grand Pursuivant; W. Bro. Jas. Stone, W. Bro. A. Charleson, W. Bro. J. W. Horne, W. Bro. H. A. Berry, W. Bro. T. B. Pearson, W. Bro. P. A. E. Irving, Grand Stewards.

The lodge is sitting again this afternoon, and will complete its work and adjourn the session to-night.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Estate of James Williams, Late of Juneau, Alaska, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith and all persons having any claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.

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NOTICE.

AN INJUNCTION ORDER HAS BEEN made this day in an action in the Supreme Court of British Columbia in which Jean Baptiste Brule is plaintiff, and Edward Mainwaring Johnson and Joseph Poirier are defendants, restraining the said Joseph Poirier and his agents until the 27th day of June instant, or until such further time as may be ordered, from selling or disposing of any of the sheep, cattle or live and dead stock now in his possession at or near the farm in Sooke district formerly occupied by Jean Baptiste Brule.

Dated Victoria, 24th June, 1889.

J. ROLAND HETT, Solicitor for Jean Baptiste Brule.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 20th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS, Victoria, B. C.

June 20.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

— THE —

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society

Will hold their

26th ANNUAL GATHERING

At the Society's Grounds, BEACON HILL,

On Thursday, July 4th, '89

The Grounds have been specially prepared, the Dancing platform enlarged, and will be tastefully decorated and illuminated with the Electric Light. In the evening a

GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT:

The President—MAYOR GRANT.

Vice-Presidents—Robt Mitchell and Robt McIntosh, and

Messrs Donald McKay, John Robertson, R P Rithet, A Grieve, Geo Mann, Dr Renwick, A Tolmie, George Bishop, Wm Ward, John Bareman, A J Smith, Wm Lorrimer, Capt Irving, A McDonald, H D Helmcken, P Æ Irving, Jas L Anderson, Geo Webb, J G Geddes, John Murdoch, Archd Lees, Peter Steele, J H McGregor, A R Reid, J A Wilson.

Judges—R J Russell, John Boyd, A B Gray, Captain Irving, R E Jackson, R P Rithet, Jas Burns, Roderick Finlayson.

Reception Committee—Mayor Grant, Robt McIntosh, A J Smith, H D Helmcken, Robert Mitchell, John Robertson, Wm Lorrimer, P Æ Irving.

Starters.—W Lorrimer, John Robertson.

Floor Managers.—A Lees, J A Wilson.

Rangers—James Deans, J L Anderson.

Gate Keepers.—Hugh McKenzie, John Robertson, J H McGregor.

Programme of Sports.

	Ent.	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1. Running high jump	25c	$4.00	$2.00	
2. Running long jump	25c	4.00	2.00	
3. Running hop, step and jump	25c	4.00	2.00	
4. Foot race, handicap, 3 miles	$1	15.00	7.50	
5. Foot race, for boys under 15	free	2.50	1.50	1.00
6. Foot race, for girls under 15	free	2.50	1.50	1.00
7. Foot race, for boys under 10	free	2.00	1.00	50
8. Foot race, for girls under 10	free	2.00	1.00	50
9. Foot race for boy's under 18, half mile	25c	5.00	3.00	
10. Foot race for Navy and Military, half mile	free	5.00	3.00	
11. Tug of War, Navy v. Civilians	free	10.00		
12. Walking Match, handicap, two miles	50c	7.50	3.00	
13. Throw'g h'vy hammer	50c	5.00	2.00	
14. Putting heavy shot	50c	5.00	2.50	
15. Sack race	25c	4.00	2.00	
16. Three legged race	25c	4.00	2.00	
17. Old Man's race, over 50 years	free	Walking Stick		
18. Hurdle Race	25c	4.00	2.00	
19. Tug of War, Navy v. C Battery		10.00		

DANCING.

Highland Fling	$2.50
Sailor's Hornpipe	2.50
Sword Dance	2.50

Best dressed Boy in Highland Costume—Claymore Brooch.

Best dressed Girl in Highland Costume—Cairngorm Brooch.

A Grand Lottery, for ladies only, will be drawn during the afternoon. Each lady on entering the grounds will receive a ticket.

LADIES PRIZES—1. Lady's Gold Watch. 2. Silver Tea Set. 3. Jewel Case. 4. Album. 5. Silver Locket and Chain. 6. Cairngorm Brooch. 7. Lady's Companion. 8. Sunshade. 9. Lady's Satchel.

The Prizes will be on exhibition in the window of T. N. Hibben & Co.

CONDITIONS OF GAMES:

Games to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m., sharp.

Three competitors to enter for all games, or no prize will be awarded.

Heavy shot and hammer to be delivered within the line.

No weights will be allowed in jumping.

Every facility will be afforded visitors to view the games, etc.

The grounds will be opened to the public at 11 a. m.

Refreshments to be had on the grounds.

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GRAND PARADE

Of all the Trades, Professions, Friendly Societies and National Associations will commence at 9 o'clock on the 1st of July, at the City Hall, in which will also participate representatives of Her Majesty's Navy, and Army, viz: The Sailors and Marines of H. M. Warships, "C" Battery R. C. G. A., the Volunteers and Militia of New Westminster. In this procession will be shown the capabilities and resources of our Province.

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In the IMPERIAL OPERA HOUSE on the Evening of Monday, the First Day of July.

Fireworks and Torchlight Procession

In the Harbor on the evening of July the 2nd—Tuesday—in which Her Majesty's Warships, under the command of Admiral Heneage, will assist, and which will be the grandest feature of this celebration, and the most brilliant display ever witnessed on this coast.

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Have been arranged for, from Victoria, New Westminster, Nanaimo, Seattle, Tacoma, Port Townsend, Portland, and other Sound parts, and from all points of the C. P. R.

See further particulars in special programmes. je22

G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Mortgagee's Sale of Furniture.

TUESDAY, JUNE 25th

AT 11 A. M.,

I am instructed by the mortgagee to sell by auction at No. 120 Johnson Street, next door to Bunster's brick building.

A Quantity of Furniture

Parlor Suits, Sofas, Tables, Chairs, Curtains, Pictures, Ornaments, Side Board, Glasses, Decanters, Brackets, Lamps, Spittoons, Trays, Carpets, Stoves, etc., etc.

One English Harmonium,

Three Bedroom Suites, Feather Pillows, Quilts, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Spring Mattresses, Blankets, Bedroom Carpets, Cook Stove and Fittings, Tinware, Crockery, Cutlery, etc., etc.

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A Fair White Shirt,	$ .50
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The Best Shirt in Stock	1.25
A Splendid Colored Shirt with two Collars,	1.00
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